

## WESTERLY

At a regular session of the probate court held Tuesday afternoon, matters pertaining to two estates were disposed of by Judge Edward M. Burke.

Estate of Hilda Wilcox: First and final account of Frank E. Smith, executor, received and continued to the next session of court.

Estate of William Lobban—First and final account of Alexander Atkins, executor, received and continued to Jan. 18.

Norfolk: Regular services were held Tuesday evening at the Methodist Episcopal church, announcing a cut in wages that will go into effect on the week ending January 14. Many departments of the mill have been running on short time since Thanksgiving and the whole force will be put on part time next week unless more orders are received. As yet the management has not decided what the percentage of reduction will be.

James A. Hillman, who died at his home in Norwich, Conn., Sunday, January 2, was a former resident of Westerly and resided on Highland avenue. He was in the 73rd year and is survived by his wife, and one son, George W. Hillman, Jr., who is a resident of Westerly.

George H. Hager was elected president of the Masonic lodge at the first annual meeting held Monday night on the club rooms on High street. Other officers were chosen as follows: Arthur N. Nash, vice president; Albert E. Barber, secretary; Lewis Stanton, treasurer; J. H. Squibb, and F. N. Robinson, members of the executive committee for three years. John O. Mills was chosen on the executive committee for two years and Thomas McKenna and D. E. Eadie for one year. After the election, refreshments were served and a smoker was enjoyed.

A splendid concert was given at the town hall Monday evening, under the auspices of Buding, W. R. C., No. 2.

## STONINGTON

At Bratton's hall at 3 p. m. today (Wednesday) the annual joint installation of J. F. Trumbull, No. 24, and J. F. Trumbull, W. R. C. No. 24, will take place. The installation officer will be Mrs. Luella M. Gager, past president of the local corps.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Second Congregational church was held on Monday in the chapel. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Luella M. Gager; vice president, Mrs. Dwight C. Stone; secretary and treasurer, Miss M. B. Trumbull; executive committee, Mrs. Barbara Muller, chairman, Mrs. Joseph H. Hammond, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. Henry B. Noyes, Mrs. Theodore W. Hyde, Miss Jennie Trumbull, Mrs. Mary E. Shelling, Miss Lulu Taylor, missionary committee, Miss Lucy W. Woodbridge; flower committee, Mrs. Nellie P. Trumbull; organist, Joseph H. Hammond. Mrs. Ira H. Palmer, who served the society for a number of years as president, declined to serve longer because of her health.

The crew of the smack "Golia" took 300 pounds of cod and haddock on the trip Monday. Friday last they caught 2300 pounds and Saturday 2200 pounds. The smack left for the grounds Tuesday and with her crew will sail for New York to market the fish.

## MYSTIC

Tuesday evening the officers of Williams Women's Relief corps, No. 42, were installed by Mrs. George Anderson. The following: President, Miss Ruth C. Chapman; senior vice president, Mrs. Margaret Eldridge; junior vice president, Mrs. Eleanor Lucy; secretary, Miss Margaret Green; chaplain, Mrs. Lucy Parker Lewis; conductor, Mrs. Ruth Earnshaw; guard, Miss Eva Ehle; musician, Mrs. Irma Kelgwin; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Helen. Appointive officers: Secretary, Ella Buddington; first color bearer, Miss Gladys Capwell; second color bearer, Miss Bertha Ehle; third color bearer, Elizabeth Burdick; fourth color bearer, Jeanette Mitchell. Preceding the installation, supper was served at 6 o'clock by members of the corps. The guests were members of Stonington Relief corps, Phoebe Parker Hathorn tent, D. A. C. Latham camp, No. 19, S. of G. W., and Williams post, No. 55, G. A. R.

Allan W. Rathbun of Noank, whose funeral service was held Tuesday afternoon at his home in that village, had many friends and relatives here. Mr. Rathbun had a fine bass voice and prior to his illness of the past three years frequently sang in the various churches and at many public entertainments, where the high quality of his solo work was always greatly appreciated and enjoyed.

Benevolence chapter, R. A. M., met Monday evening in Masonic temple, at which time a class of several candidates received a degree.

Lester Harrison has returned from a trip to South Manchester.

M. J. Williams is driving a new delivery truck.

Miss Marion Lamb has returned to her duties as a teacher in a school for the deaf in Frederickburg, Md., after spending the holidays at her home here.

Helen Starkey chapter of St. Mark's church meets Thursday afternoon in the parish house.

Leander Barlow has resumed his studies at the art school in New York after spending the holidays at his home in the village.

Miss Louise Gray has returned to New York after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray.

Wilfred B. Brown is visiting his daughter, Miss Mildred, in Trenton, N. J.

The entertainers came from Providence and presented a very pleasing program which consisted of selections by the Waterman trio, Miss Louise Waterman, cello; Miss Marion Waterman, harp, and Miss Francis Waterman, violin. Violin solos by Miss Helen M. Dargott; contralto solos by Miss Helen M. Grant, and harp solos by Miss Marion Waterman.

Edw. Peabody of Westerly and Miss Margarette Downing of Wakefield were married Wednesday, Dec. 29, at the church of the Assumption in Wakefield, by Rev. W. F. Parsons. The bride was attended by Miss Hannah Clark, and Glean M. Southwick was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Peabody are on a brief honeymoon trip, and on their return will reside at 163 West Broad street.

The cantata, "Bethlehem," by Maundel, will be given by the choir of the Calvary Baptist church Sunday evening, January 3. This cantata is divided into three parts: Part 1, "The Shepherd's Gifts"; Part 2, "The King's Gifts"; and Part 3, "Our Gifts."

Between each part well known hymns will be sung by the choir and congregation. Solo parts will be taken by Mrs. Ralph H. Koelb, soprano; Andrew H. Gray, tenor; Walter S. Price, tenor; Ralph H. Koelb, baritone; William S. Martin, bass.

The program was presented at the Christmas festival of the church which was held Sunday before Christmas, and it is in response to numerous requests that the entertainment is to be repeated.

Benjamin P. Moulton of Providence, a summer visitor at Quonoctaug, has been elected a member of the board of police commissioners of Providence for a term of three years.

The new safe for the town treasurer's office arrived Tuesday and was placed in the office room in the town hall on Broad street.

Motorists are interested to know that the new concrete bridge over the Sauquoit river in Wakefield being constructed by the state, will be finished within a few days.

The union services of the week of prayer were held Tuesday evening at Grace Methodist church, Rev. E. J. Copeland, pastor. The Rev. E. J. Copeland, pastor of the "Church Universal," spoke on this (Wednesday) evening will be held at the Pawtucket Congregational church, Vincent Desjardins, arranger.

Monday night from Italy. He plans to make his home in Westerly.

A year ago today local ice dealers were harvesting 13-inch ice from the ponds in this vicinity.

Charles Perry, president of the Washington Trust company, is kept at home by the fracture of his left wrist, the result of a fall.

Forty friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Willis of Shunon Saturday evening. Singing and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Guests were present from Plainville, Mystic, Hope Valley, North Stonington, and Westerly.

The dedication of the new library took place Tuesday evening with an address given by a representative of the Connecticut State Library association.

Word was received here Saturday announcing the death of Miss Elizabeth Dow, 14, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dow, in Torrington, Conn.

The Ladies Friendly society of the Methodist Episcopal church is to hold a supper.

Miss Lillian A. Saunders has returned to her studies at the Cranford Commercial school in Norwich after a visit with her mother, Mrs. William A. Saunders, of the Fair Haven road.

The women's auxiliary of St. John's Episcopal chapel met recently with Mrs. William Coleough of the Point road.

The next meeting of the Sunshine society will be held at the home of Mrs. Marion R. Davis of Main street.

Attorney Marion R. Davis has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beach have returned to their home at Riverbank after a visit to Hartford and Springfield.

Mrs. Mary E. Bone recently entertained her sister, Miss Jean Kirke, of New London.

Mrs. Ellen V. Weir will close her bungalow in Pine Grove soon and go to Wallingford to spend a few months.

Mrs. Adelaide Spencer has returned home after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Randall, at East View, Waterford.

J. Percy Morgan and A. Turner Harding, motored to Deep River one day last week.

Mrs. Emma Beckwith has returned home after a visit to her son, R. Royce Beckwith, and family in Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Getchell spent the holiday with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bullard, in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Jerry Bacon has gone to Hartford for a lengthy visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brewer have gone to their home in South Manchester for the winter.

The meeting of the Niantic Public Library association will be held this (Wednesday) evening in the new library.

Howard M. Pitkin, who fell a short time ago and sprained his foot, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Winnemore of Winsted were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Josiah Toms.

George Sawyer has returned to his home in Hartford after a visit to Fred J. Howard in the village.

Harry Gerard has returned to his home in the village after a visit to friends in Boston.

Henry B. Smith of East Haven spent the week end at his cottage in Pine Grove. He had as his guest Albert E. Brown of

New Haven, who came over on a hunting trip.

Albert Buckingham has returned to his duties in New York after a visit to his home in the village.

Ernest Darrow has gone to Kingston, Pa., to visit his brother, Irving Darrow, for a week. While he is absent his wife, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Faulkner, in New London.

George O. Brooks is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Howard Sherman, and family in Middletown.

Howard Gavitt and Valmure Beckwith, who recently joined the navy, were here over the week end for a visit to their homes.

Kenneth Gavitt, who has had the grip, is able to be out and attend to his duties.

George A. Gavitt is confined to his home with grip.

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church served a supper Tuesday evening in the vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Niar Barnes, and her son Stratton of New Haven. Mrs. Barnes is recovering from an operation which she underwent recently at a New Haven hospital.

Miss Emma B. Whaley has returned home after a week's visit to her cousin, Mrs. John Townsend, in Montville.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Burrows were in Lyme recently.

Mrs. Frank Gerard has returned home after a visit in Groton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dodd of New London were recent guests of the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gidley.

Miss Rose Callahan of New York is spending several days at her summer home in the Fair Haven district.

William Stark, a member of the rating

committee of a Hartford fire insurance company, called on C. J. Manwaring recently.

Miss Bezie Crocker has returned to her duties with an insurance company in Hartford after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Fred Chappell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelsey and daughter, Miss Alice, have returned to Essex after visiting Mrs. Kelsey's mother, Mrs. Melite Beckwith.

The next meeting of the Black Point club will be held at the home of Mrs. Nelson Spencer of the Point road.

## MANSFIELD DEPOT

Mrs. W. H. Stedman, who has been very ill with pneumonia for over a week, is more comfortable.

Misses Mary and Margaret Young of South Coventry visited at the McCollum home Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hope of Boston, and their infant son John, are visiting Miss Maude Brigham.

Misses Ruth and Ella McCollum visited last week in North Westchester and Torrington last week and are again at the Connecticut college for women, New London.

Miss Bertha Botham, of Willimantic, and Mrs. J. F. Ferguson, of Oakville, were at the Albert Botham's New Year's day and Sunday. Mr. Botham is much improved following his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin M. Hansen visited their relatives in Stafford New Year's eve and New Year's day, and on Sunday attended the twenty-second anniversary celebration of the wedding of Mrs. Hansen's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams and their three children, of Detroit, Michigan, have come to live at the home of Mrs. Williams.

## HEBRON

Eddie Student of the Hartford seminary, from India, was a holiday guest of Rev. Howard Champ, returning to Hartford Friday.

Rev. M. Flight was a New Year's visitor of Rev. Howard Champ and preached in the Congregational church Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Flight recently returned from a year's study in France.

Saturday evening the young people gave a serenade to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hewitt who recently returned from their wedding trip. After the serenade all went to the town hall for dancing until eleven o'clock, when the company adjourned to J. W. Hewitt's, where refreshments were served and a social time was enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt will make their home in Hebron.

In the Congregational Sunday school Sunday, the following officers were elected: Supl. G. A. Little; assistant, Edward Hilditch; secretary, Mrs. W. O. Reyma; treasurer, Miss Anna Clark; librarians, Roger Porter, Jr., Kenneth Little and Charlotte Dean.

Dwight Tucker and friend, of Hartford, were New Year's guests of Mrs. F. A. Breshnahan.

Miss Mary Kelly of Middletown was a New Year's guest of Miss Florence Smith.

The winter term of Edwin Reynolds' Memorial school began Monday. The annual meeting of the local Red Cross circle and the aid department of Dunham Memorial church were held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. F. McCollum.

The attendance was very good at the first Sunday's services of 1921, considering the unfavorable weather in the morning and the bad condition of the roads all day. Visitors from North Coventry added to the interest of the evening service, at the close of which informal sociability and refreshments were enjoyed in the chapel. The January business meeting of the C. E. society was postponed to next Sunday evening.

The new buildings of the Mansfield State Training school and hospital are nearing completion.

Mrs. Johanna Hansen and her daughter and family are sending interesting letters of good cheer and comfort from Florida.

The midweek hour of devotion will this week be held together with the annual meeting of the mission department, Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock at the home of the Misses Tilden.

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